

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention provides a black matrix containing metal fine particles, wherein the volume fraction of the metal fine particles is in a range from 0.05 to 0.70. The volume fraction is preferably is in a range from 0.10 to 0.55, and more preferably in a range from 0.2 to 0.50. The invention also provides a method of manufacturing the black matrix. The method is preferably a method comprising: forming a recording material having a layer formed by applying and drying a coating liquid containing metal fine particles on a temporary support; and transferring the layer onto a substrate. Further, the invention also provides a method comprising the step of applying onto or above the substrate the coating liquid containing the metal fine particles and then drying the coating liquid. In each of the methods, the coating liquid can have photosensitivity.